

By B. Clark

B. No. 1839

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to an exemption from compulsory school attendance for children holding permits to work under the child labor laws; amending Section 21.033 of the Texas Education Code, as amended.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. Section 21.033, Texas Education Code, as amended, is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 21.033. EXEMPTIONS. The following classes of children are exempt from the requirements of compulsory attendance:

"(1) any child in attendance upon a private or parochial school which shall include in its course a study of good citizenship;

"(2) any child who has a physical or mental handicap that:

"(A) is not of a temporary and readily remediable nature, and

"(B) according to the great weight and preponderance of adequate diagnostic and evaluative information of a current nature, consisting of both specialty medical examinations and pertinent specialty assessments by qualified personnel regularly engaged in the provision of special education and related services to handicapped individuals, renders the child's attendance in regular classrooms or in special educational facilities supported with tax funds useless or inconsistent with the child's

1 best interests;

2 "(3) any child who has a physical or mental condition
3 of a temporary and remediable nature which renders such child's
4 attendance unfeasible and who holds a certificate from a qualified
5 physician specifying the temporary condition, indicating the
6 treatment prescribed to remedy the temporary condition, and
7 covering the anticipated period of the child's absence from school
8 for the purpose of receiving and recuperating from such remedial
9 treatment;

10 "(4) any child who is working under a permit issued by
11 the county judge under Chapter 42, General Laws, Acts of the 39th
12 Legislature, Regular Session, 1925, as amended (Article 5181e,
13 Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes), with the concurrence of the
14 superintendent of the school district;

15 "[5] [~~44~~] any child more than 17 years of age who has
16 satisfactorily completed the work of the ninth grade and who
17 presents to the chief administrator of the school which such child
18 would otherwise attend satisfactory evidence showing that his
19 services are needed in support of a parent or other person standing
20 in a parental relation to the child; and

21 "[6] [~~45~~] any child expelled in accordance with the
22 requirements of law."

23 Sec. 2. The importance of this legislation and the crowded
24 condition of the calendars in both houses create an emergency and
25 an imperative public necessity that the constitutional rule
26 requiring bills to be read on three several days in each house be
27 suspended, and this rule is hereby suspended, and that this Act

1 take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is
2 so enacted.

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1. Filed with the Chief Clerk.

MAR 15 1977

2. Read first time and Referred to Committee on Public Education

3. Reported favorably (as amended) and sent to Printer at _____ : _____ M.
(time)

4. Printed, distributed and sent to the Committee on Calendars at _____ : _____ M.
(time)

5. Read second time (amended); passed to third reading (failed) by (Non-Record Vote) (Record Vote of _____ yeas, _____ nays, _____ present, not voting).

6. Motion to reconsider and table the vote by which H.B. _____ was ordered engrossed prevailed (failed) by a (Non-record vote) (Record Vote of _____ yeas, _____ nays, and _____ present, not voting).

7. Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days suspended (failed to suspend) by a four-fifths vote of _____ yeas, _____ nays, and _____ present, not voting.

8. Read third time (amended); finally passed (failed) by (Non-Record Vote) (Record Vote of _____ yeas, _____ nays, _____ present, not voting).

9. Caption ordered amended to conform to body of bill.

10. Motion to reconsider and table the vote by which H.B. _____ was finally passed prevailed (failed) by a (Non-record) (Record Vote of _____ yeas, _____ nays, and _____ present, not voting).

11. Ordered Engrossed at _____ : _____ M.
(time)

12. Engrossed.

13. Returned to Chief Clerk at _____ : _____ M.
(time)

14. Sent to Senate.

Chief Clerk of the House

15. Received from the House _____

16. Read, referred to Committee on _____

17. Reported favorably _____

18. Reported adversely, with favorable Committee Substitute; Committee Substitute read first time.

19. Ordered not printed.

20. Regular order of business suspended by

(a viva voce vote.)

(_____ yeas, _____ nays.)

21. To permit consideration, reading and passage, Senate and Constitutional Rules suspended by vote of _____ yeas, _____ nays.

22. Read second time _____ passed by _____ yeas, _____ nays.

23. Caption ordered amended to conform to body of bill.

24. Senate and Constitutional 3-Day Rules suspended by vote of _____ yeas, _____ nays to place bill on third reading and final passage.

25. Read third time and passed by _____
(a viva voce vote.)
(_____ yeas, _____ nays.)

OTHER ACTION: OTHER ACTION:

26. Returned to the House.

27. Received from the Senate (with amendments).

28. House (Concurred) (Refused to Concur) in Senate Amendments by a (Non-record Vote) (Record Vote of _____ yeas, _____ nays, _____ present, not voting).

29. Conference Committee Ordered.

30. Conference Committee Report Adopted (Rejected) by a (Non-record Vote) (Record Vote of _____ yeas, _____ nays and _____ present, not voting).

31. Ordered Enrolled at _____ : _____ M.
(time)

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